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INSTRUCTION BUFFER WHERE ENTRIES ARE ISSUED IN A
PREDETERMINED ORDER (as amended)

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 16,
2006, please amend the above-identified application as
follows:

No amendments to the specification are
presented in this paper.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of
this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.